

FIG. 1B

FIG. 1C

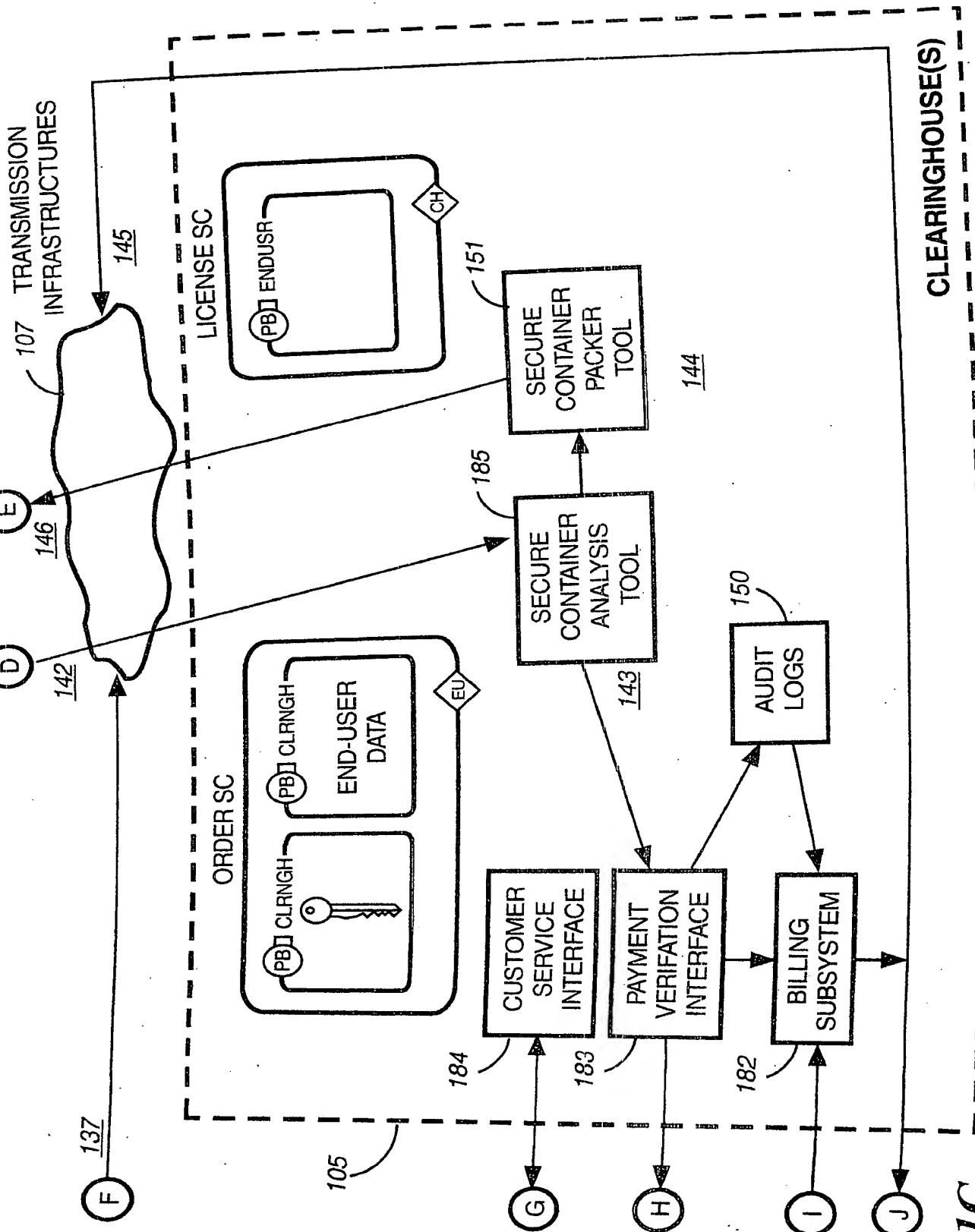
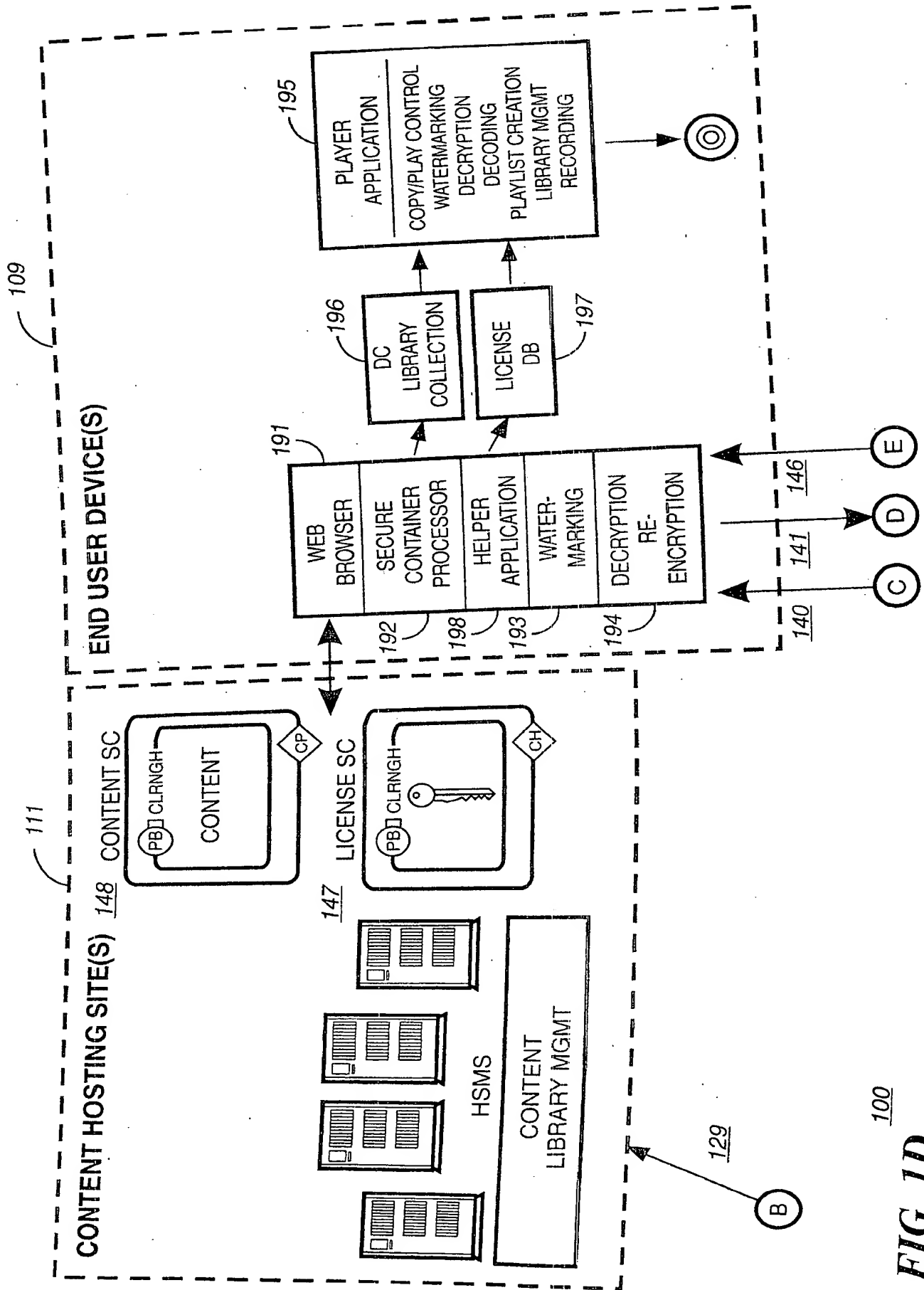
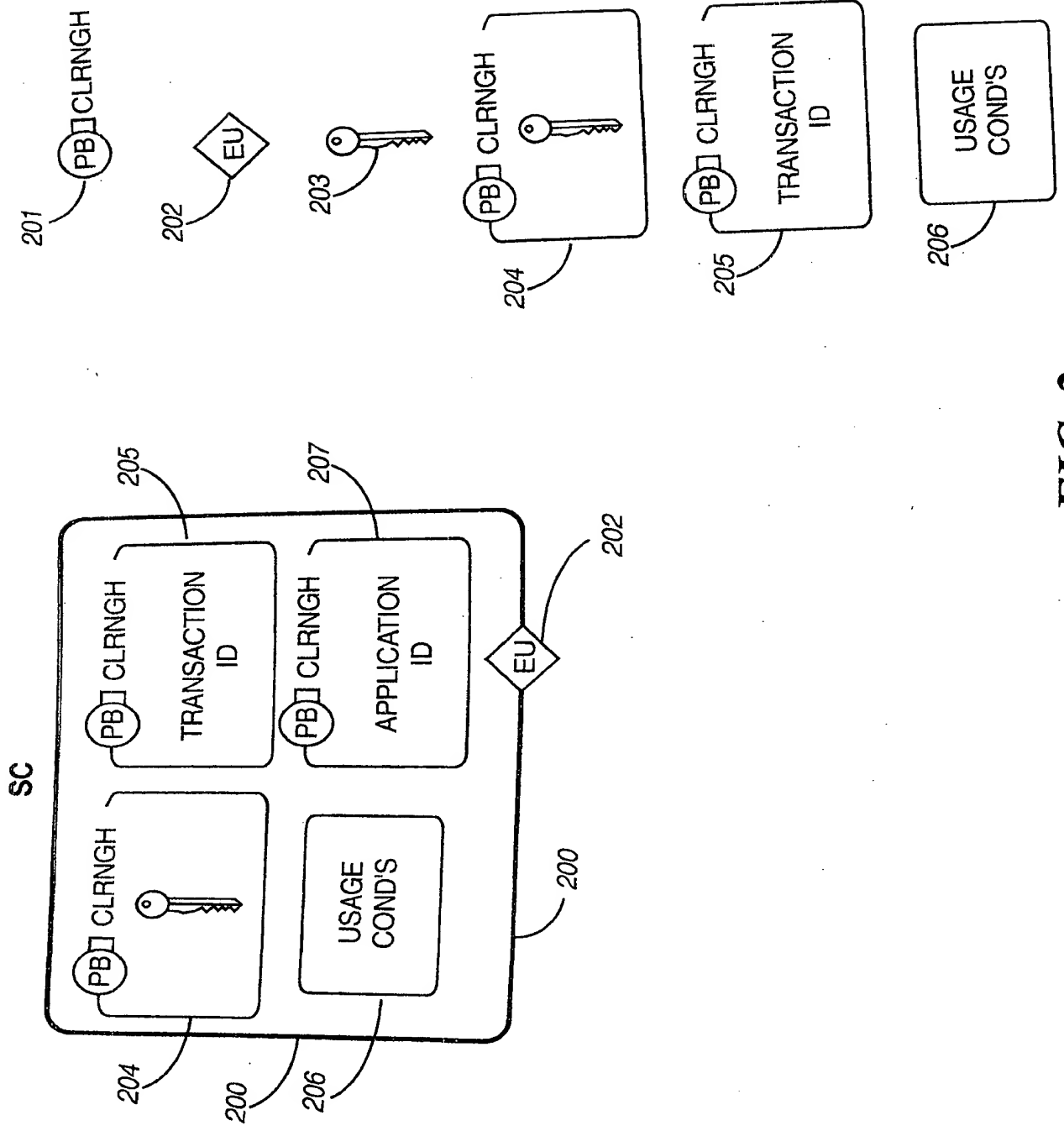


FIG. 1C



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FIG. 1D



**FIG. 2**

FIG. 3 is a block diagram of a secure container system.

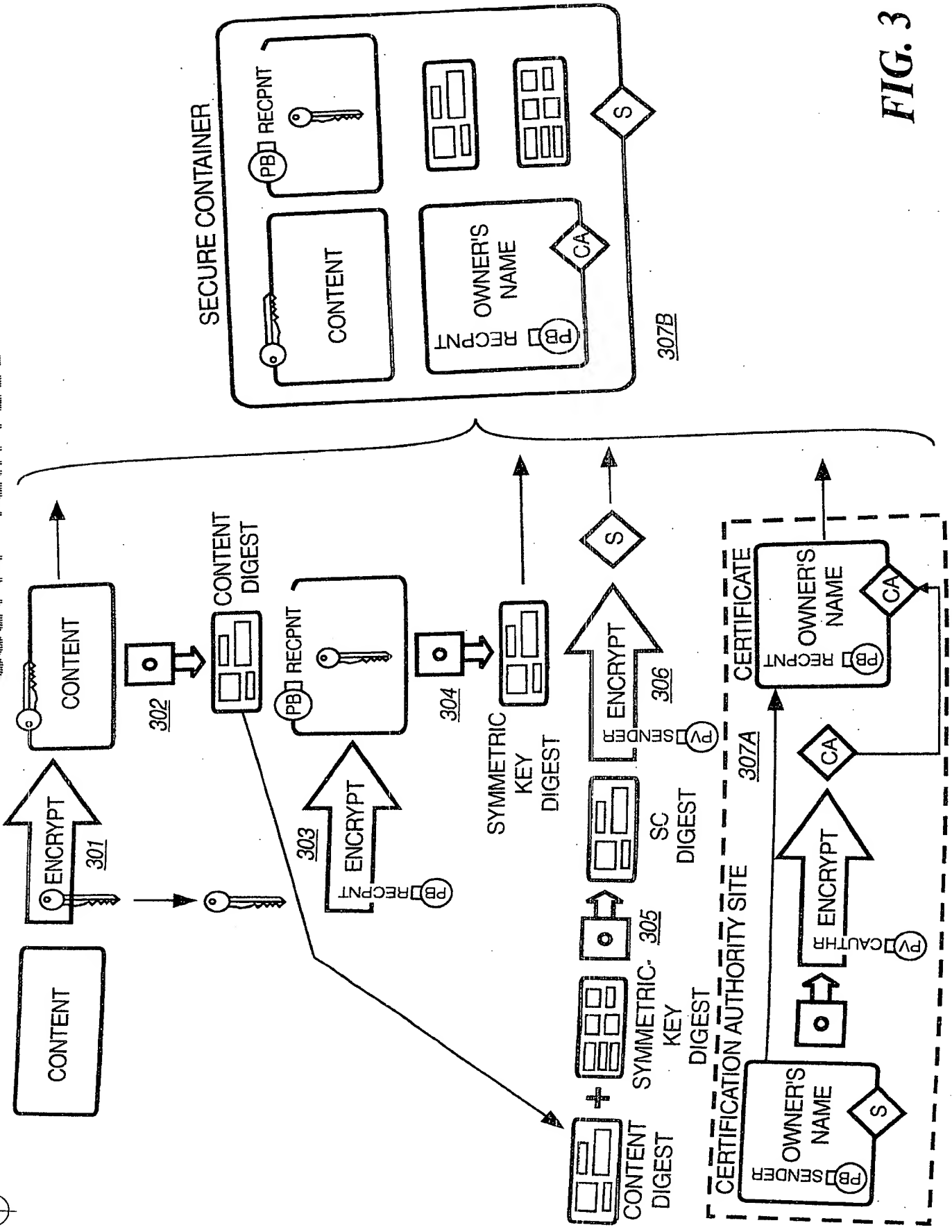


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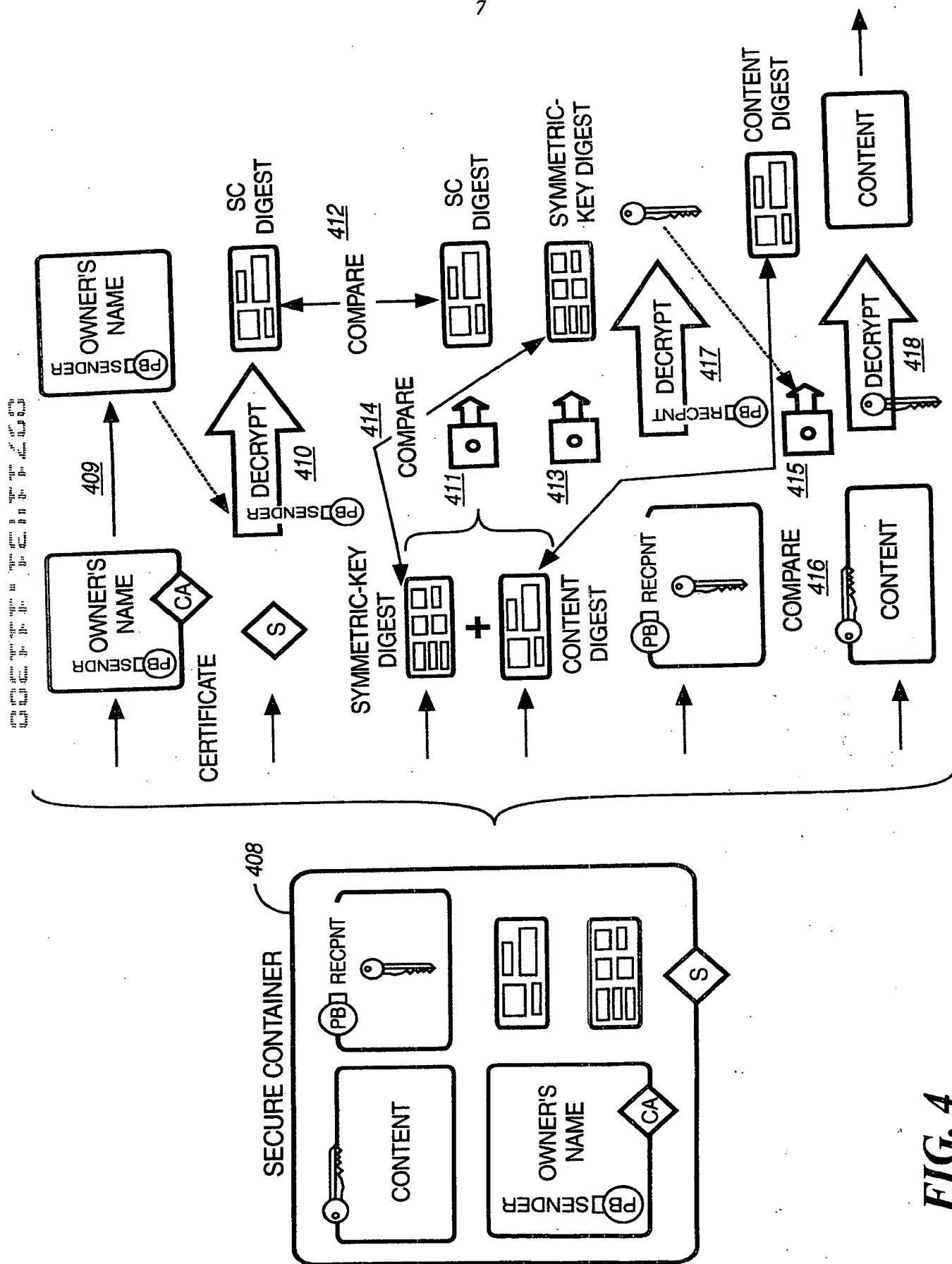


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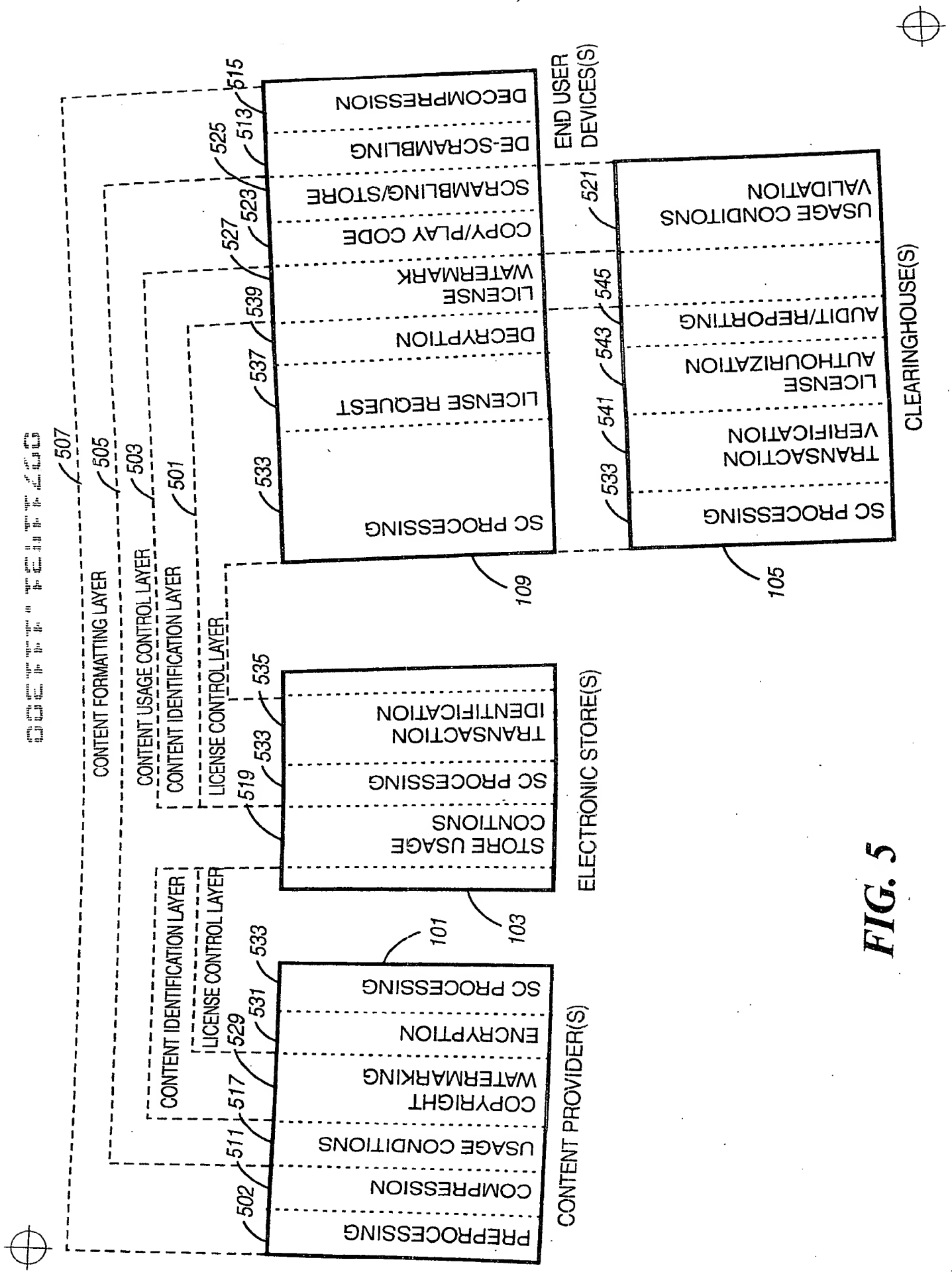


FIG. 5



FIG. 6 is a block diagram of a system architecture for content distribution and clearing. The system includes a Content Provider (101), Content Hosting Site(s) (111), End User Device(s) (109), and a Clearing House (105). The Content Provider (101) provides content (602) to the Content Hosting Site(s) (111). The Content Hosting Site(s) (111) hosts content (607) and provides it to the End User Device(s) (109). The End User Device(s) (109) interacts with the Clearing House (105) and the Electronic Digital Content Store(s) (103). The Clearing House (105) manages transactions and provides clearing information (605) to the End User Device(s) (109). The Electronic Digital Content Store(s) (103) stores content (603) and provides it to the End User Device(s) (109). The system also includes a Content Provider (101) and a Clearing House (105) for clearing transactions.

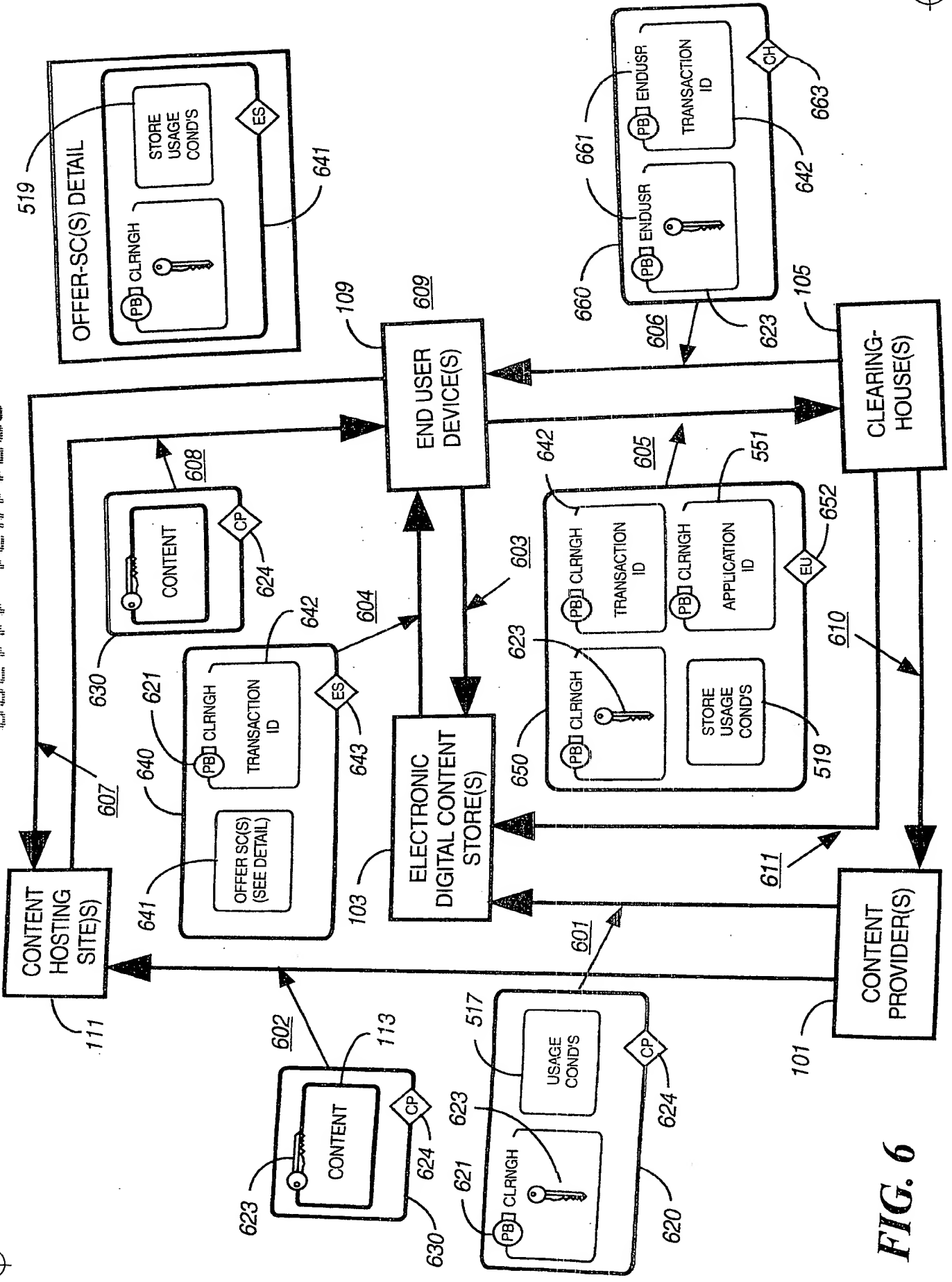
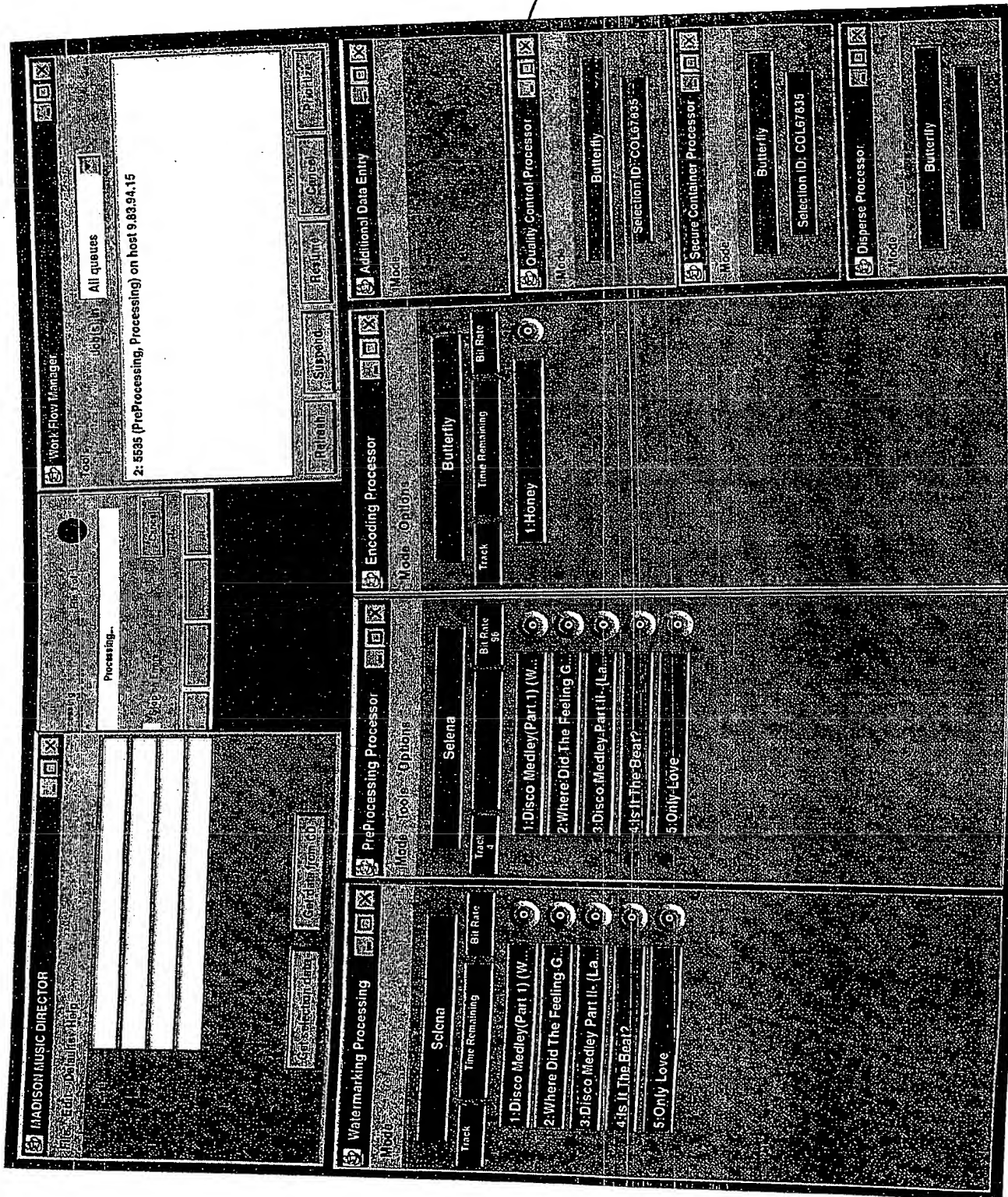


FIG. 6



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FIG. 7

FIG. 8 is a block diagram of a content processing system.

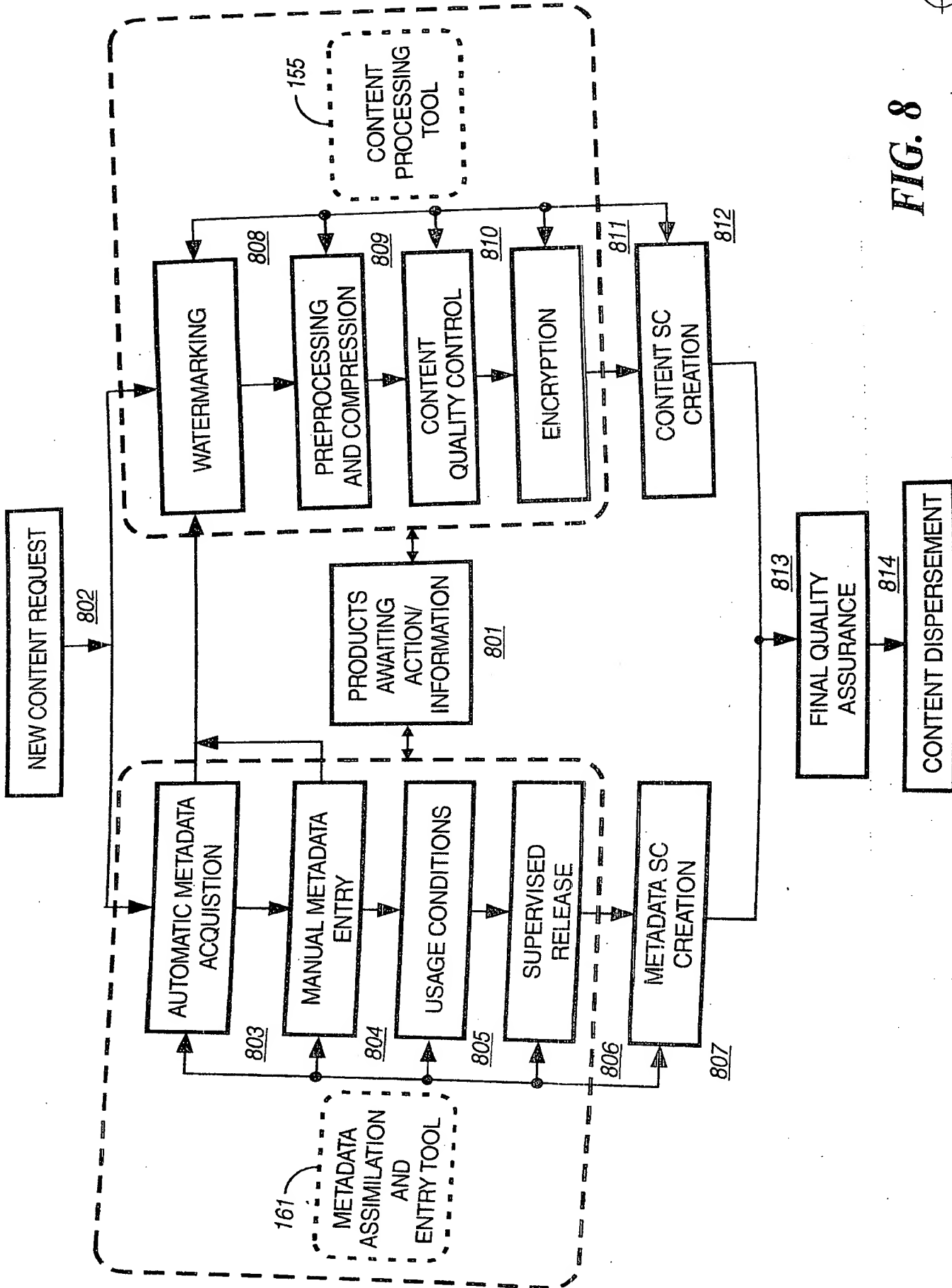


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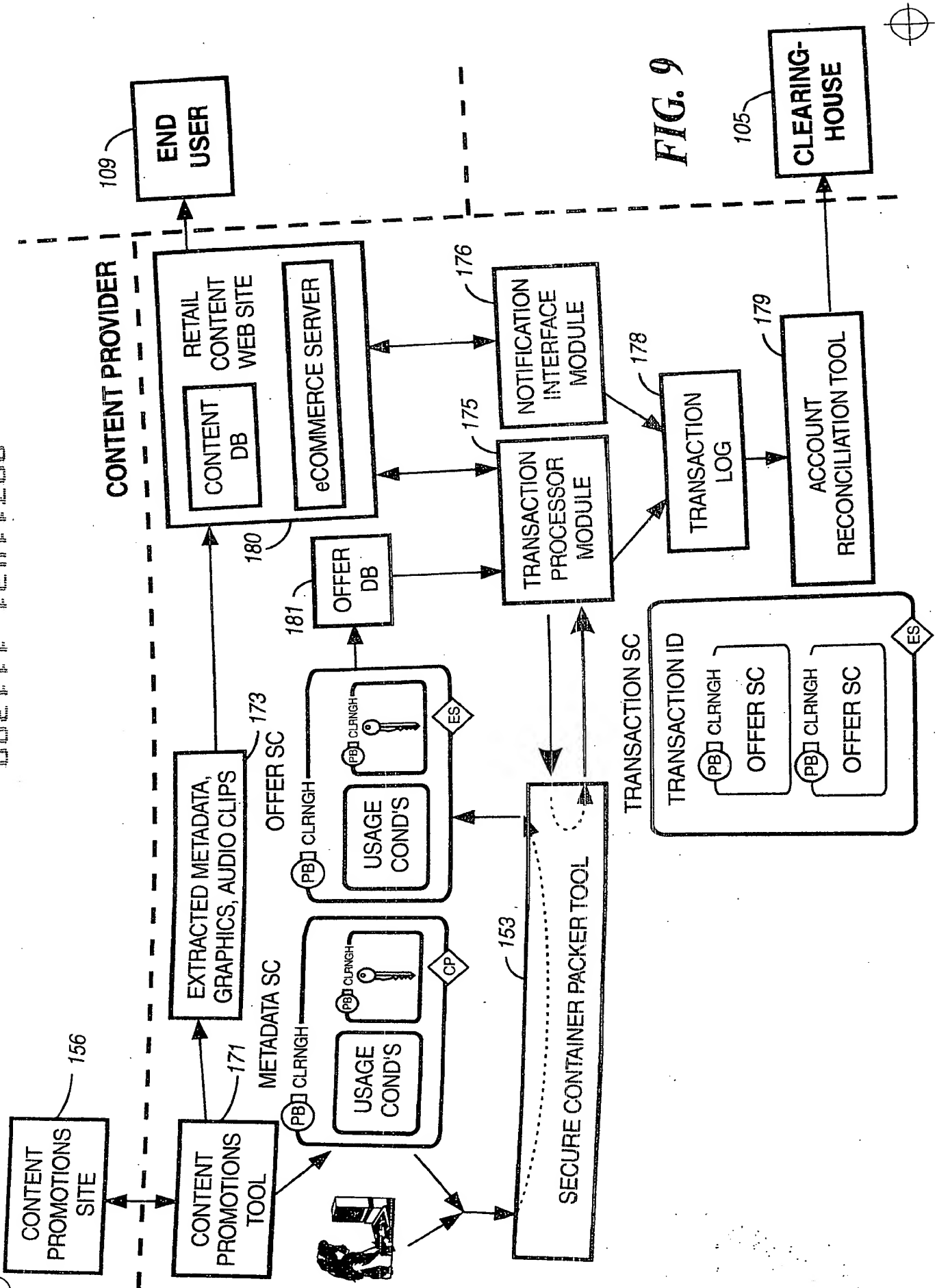
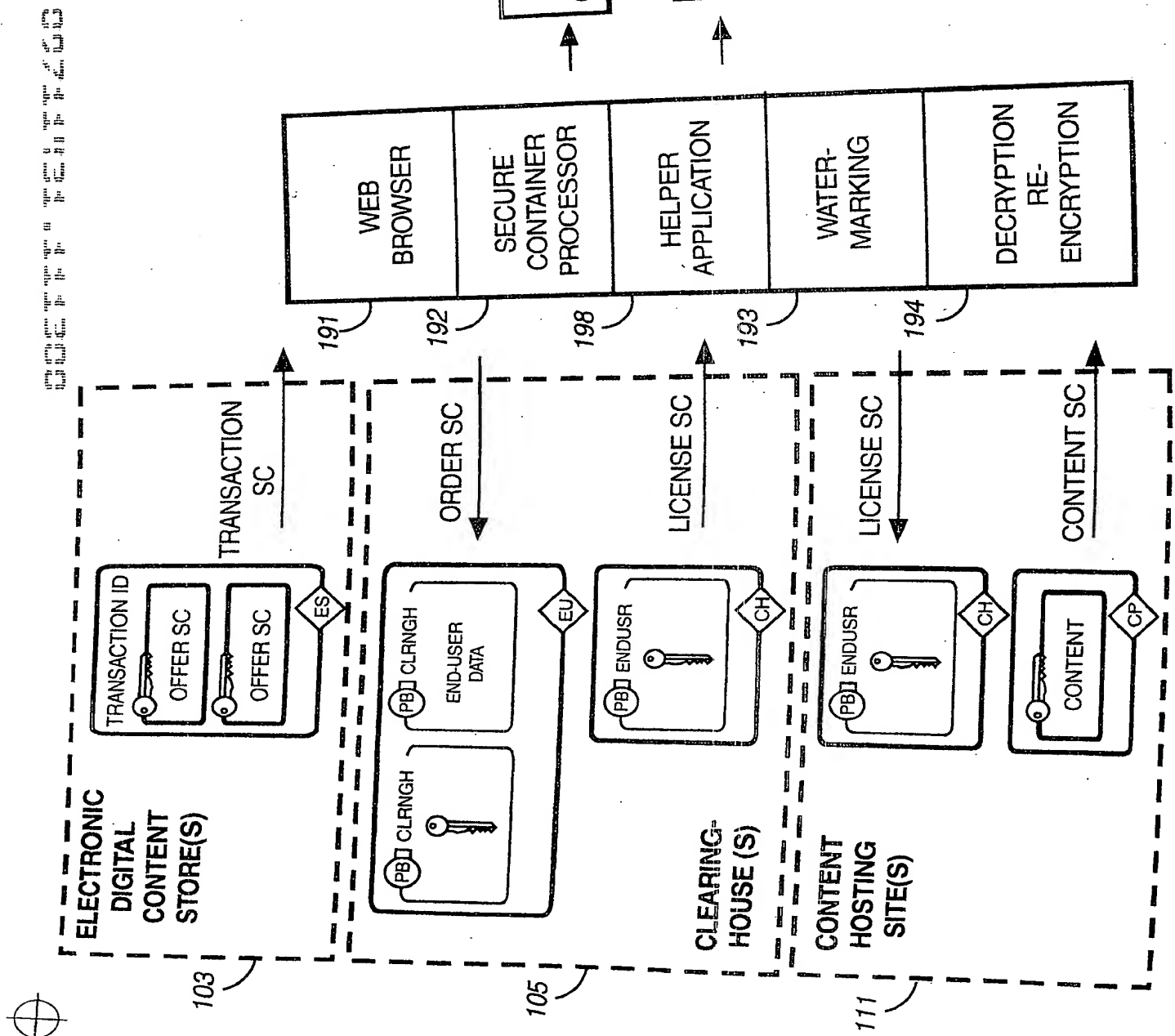
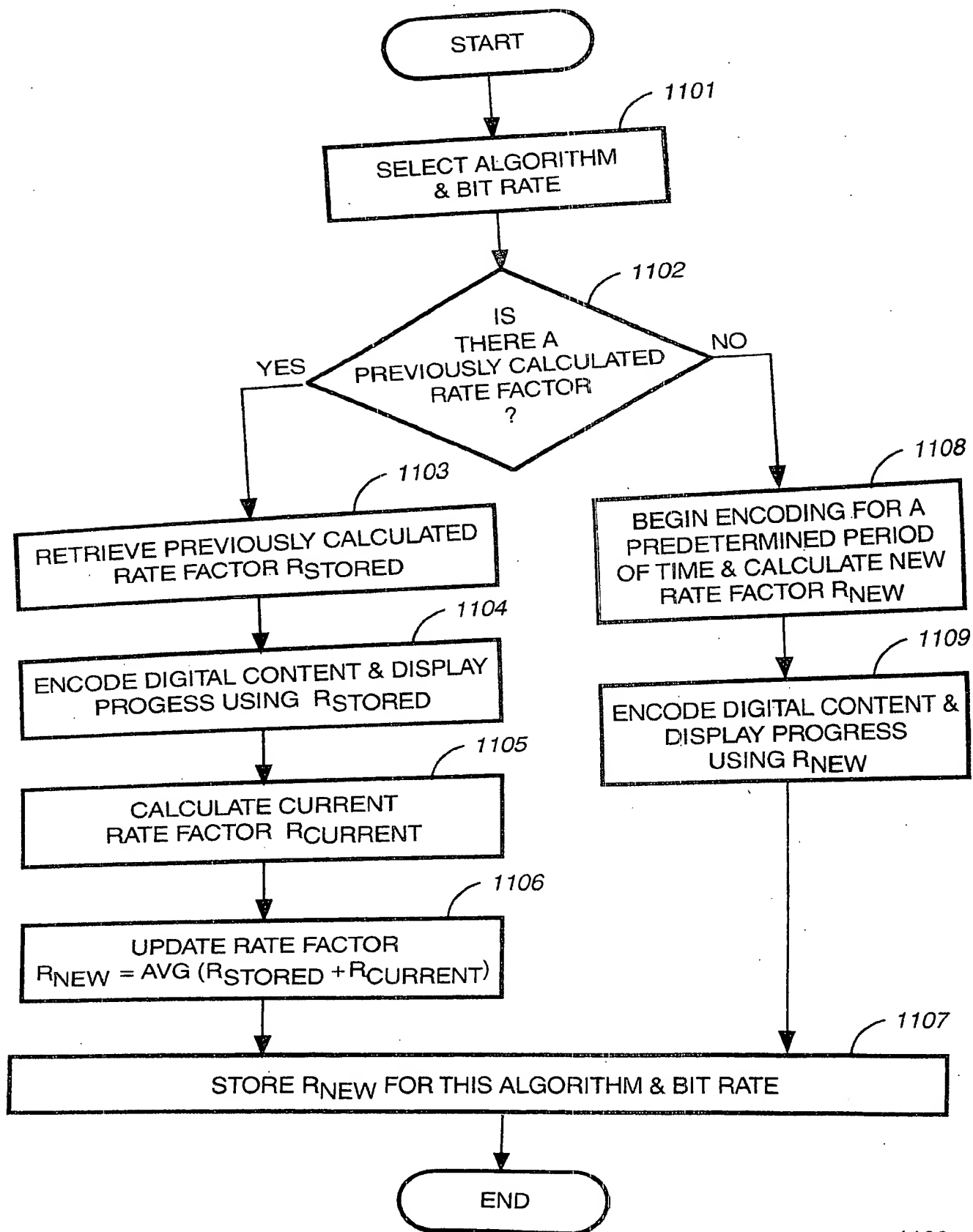


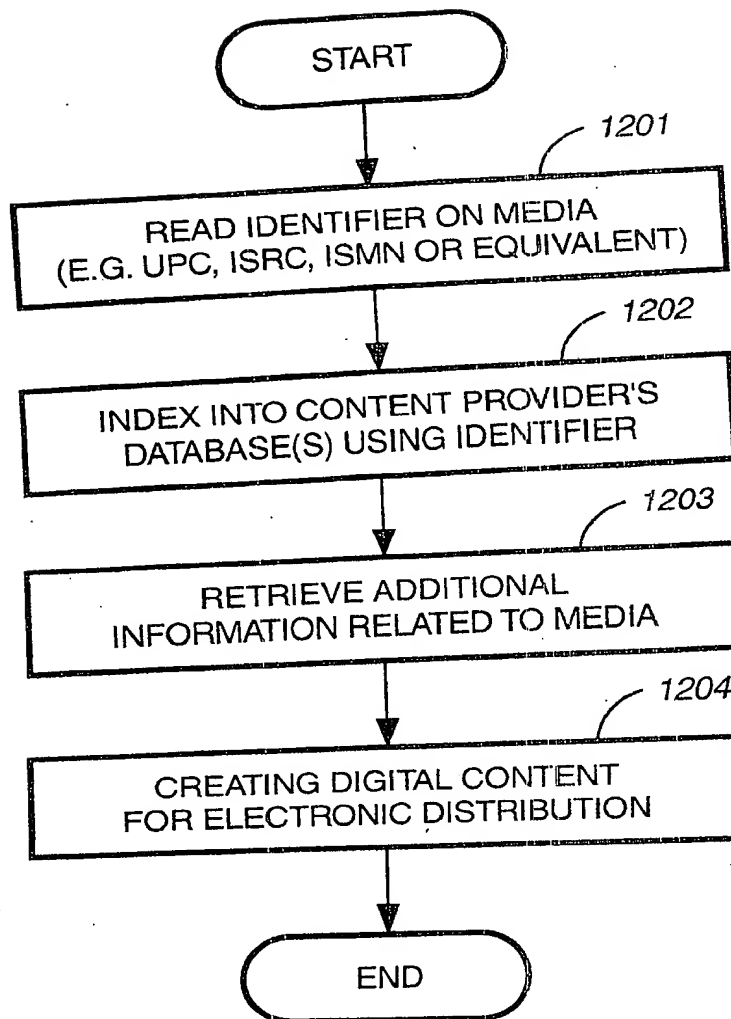
FIG. 9



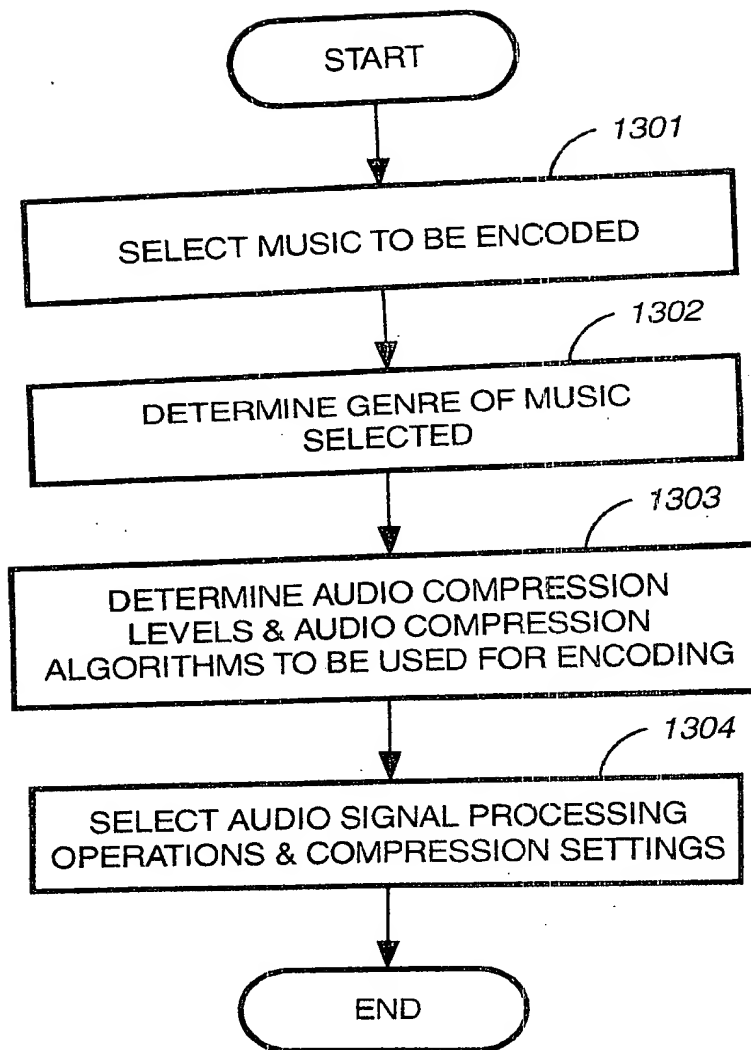
**FIG. 10**



1100  
**FIG. 11**



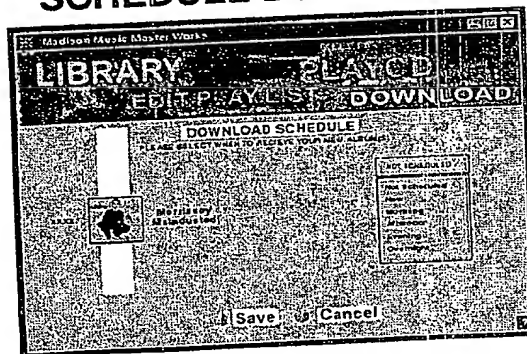
**FIG. 12**



**FIG. 13**

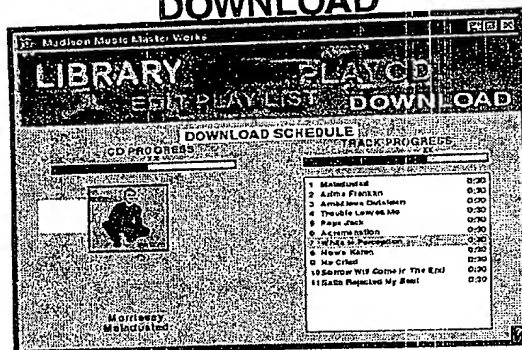


## SCHEDULE DOWNLOAD



USER STARTS A DOWNLOAD

## DOWNLOAD



DOWNLOAD COMPLETES

## LIBRARY

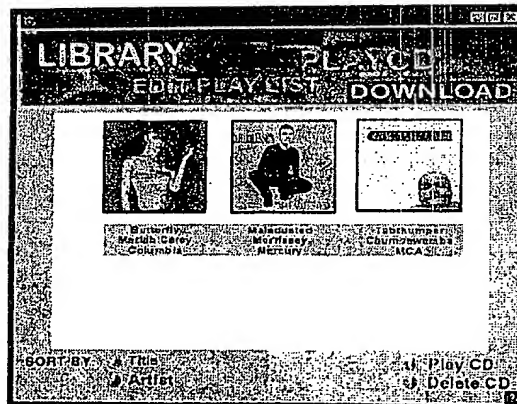


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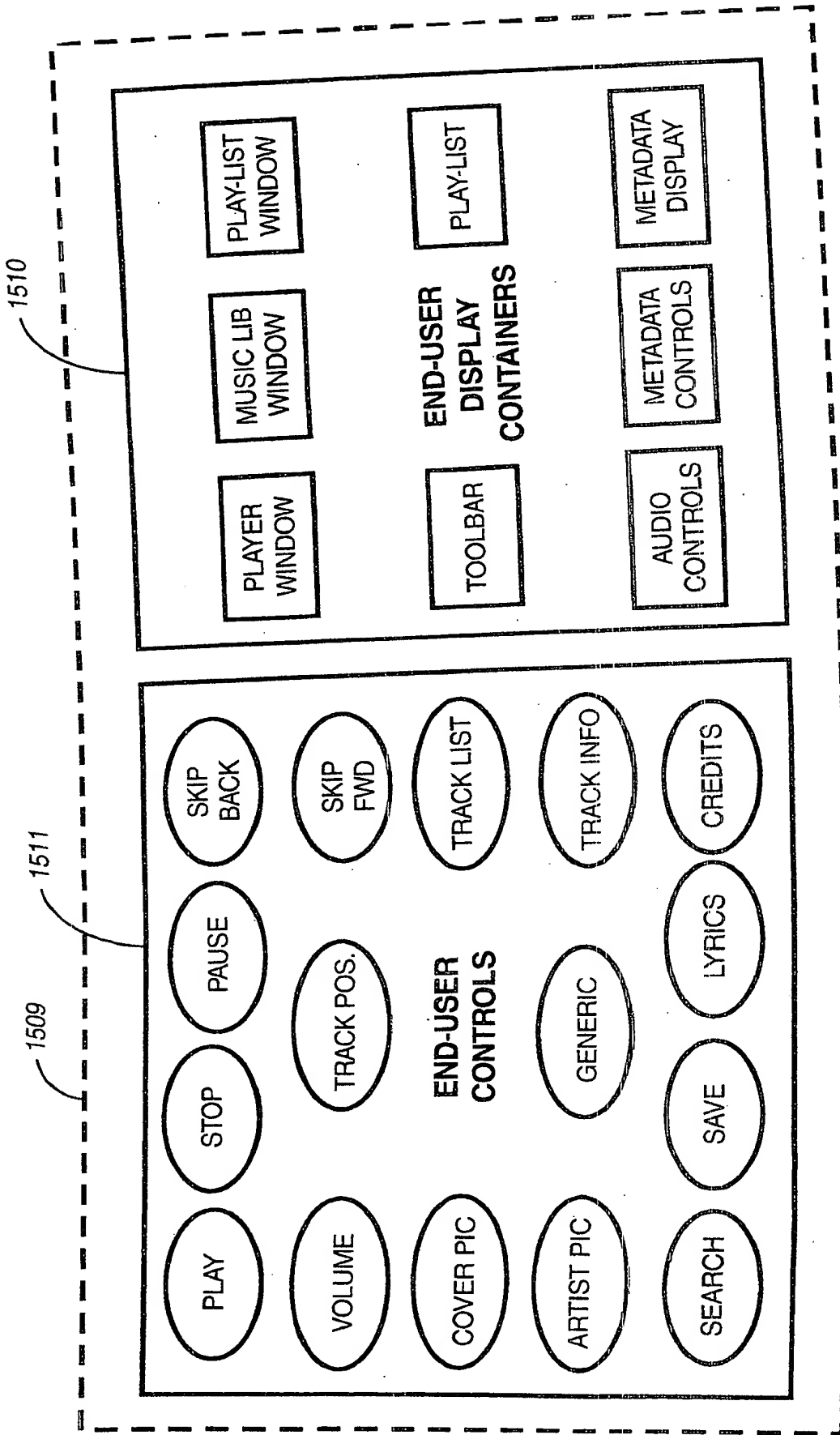


FIG. 15A

FIG. 15B is a block diagram of a digital content player system 1500. The system 1500 includes a digital content library 196, a digital content player 1501, and a web browser/helper application 191, 198. The digital content player 1501 includes a variable objects module 1512, a player object manager 1501, a data management module 1502, a copy/play management module 1504, a library access module 1503, a decryption module 1505, a decompression module 1506, a playback module 1507, and an inter-application communication module 1508. The digital content library 196 is connected to the digital content player 1501. The digital content player 1501 is connected to the web browser/helper application 191, 198.

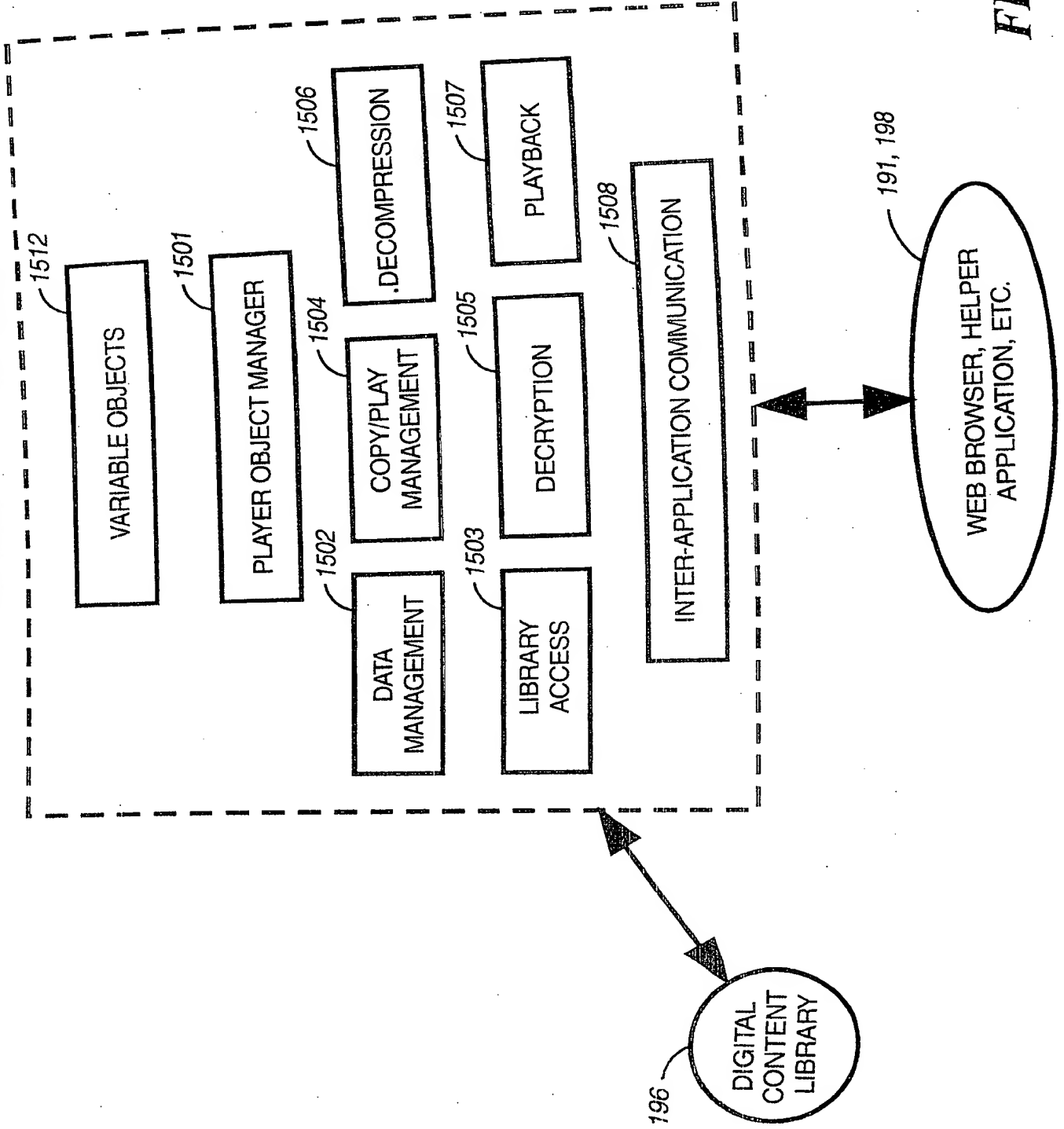


FIG. 15B

FIG. 16 is a flowchart illustrating the process of selecting and playing a playlist from a library.

# LIBRARY

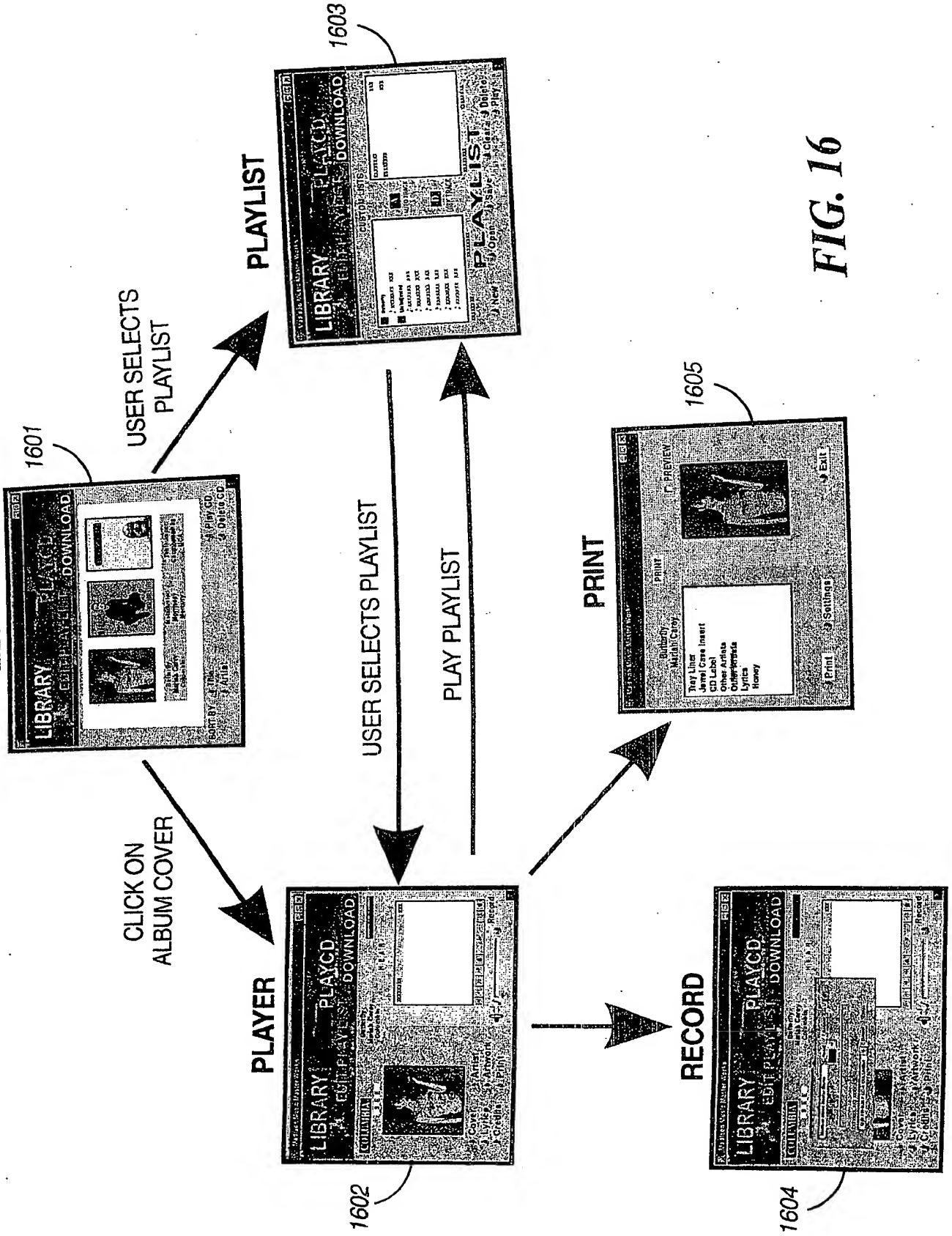


FIG. 16

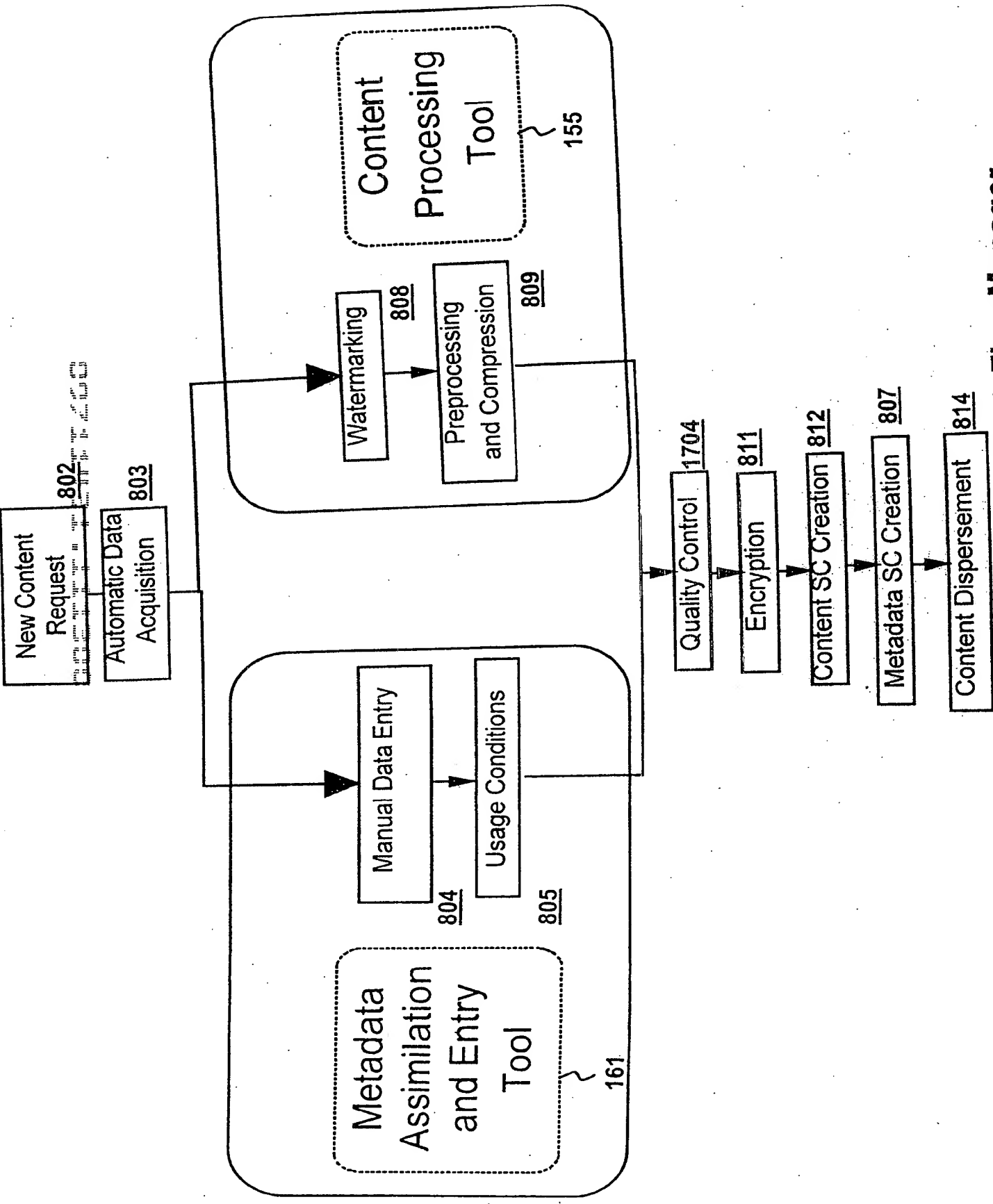
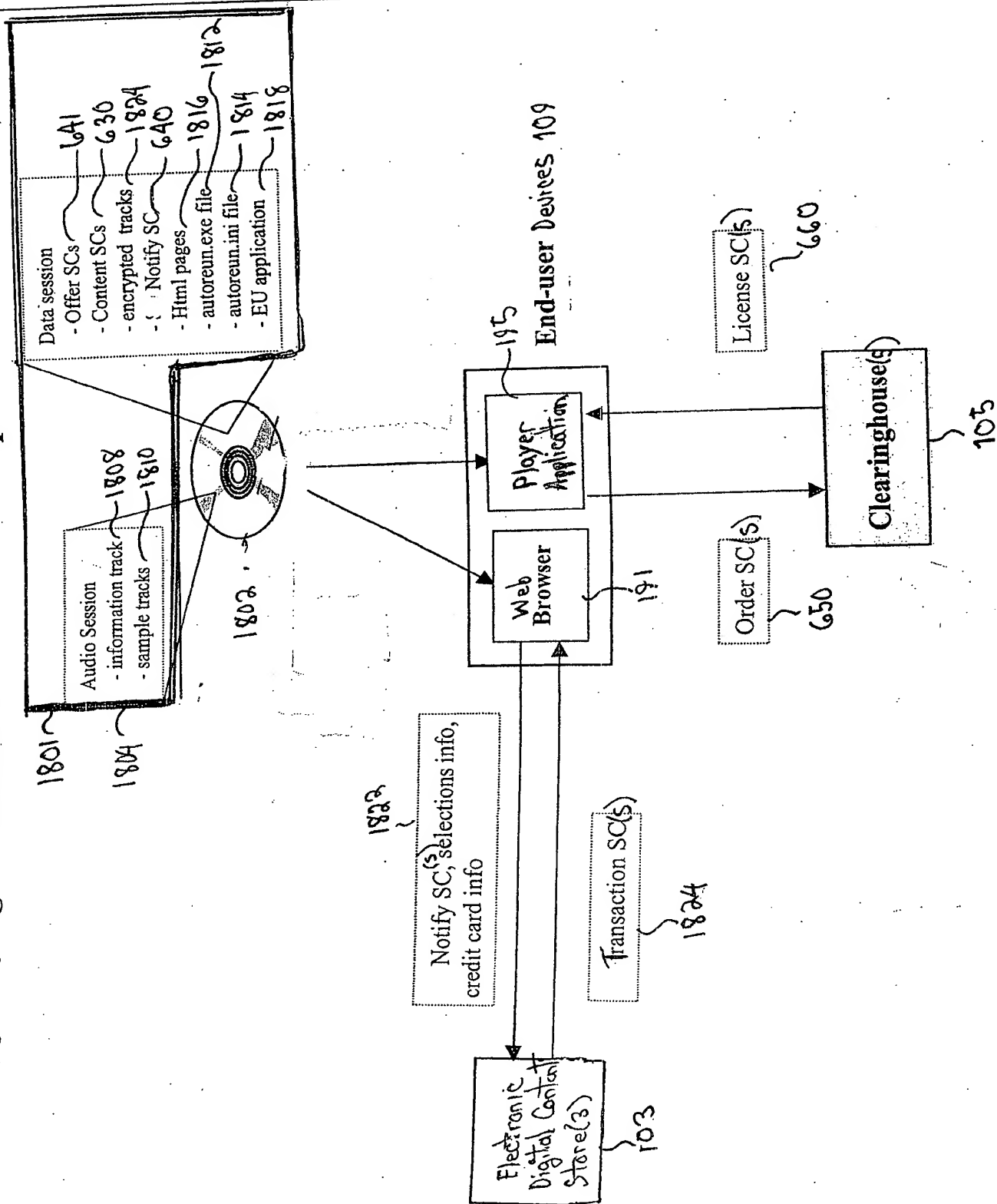
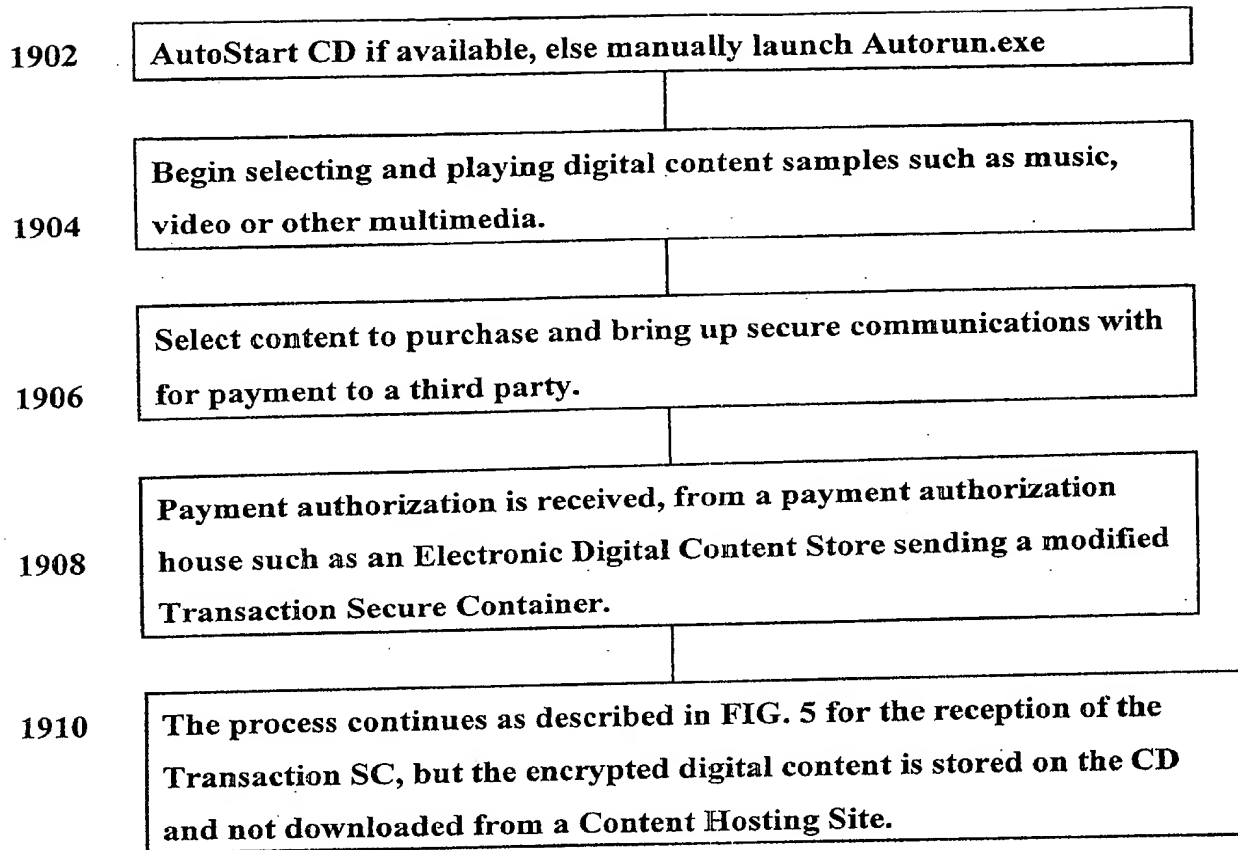


FIG. 17 Alternate Embodiment for the Work Flow Manager

FIG. 18 Buying Transaction Flow With a Super-distribution CD





**FIG. 19**

FIG. 20

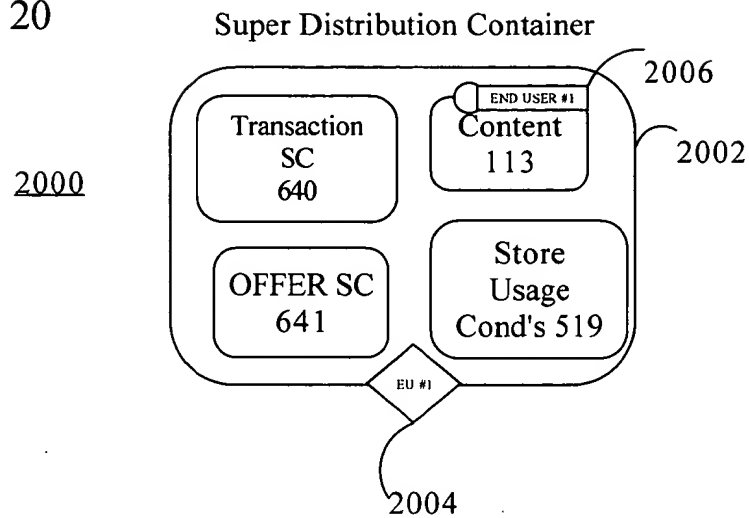




FIG. 21A

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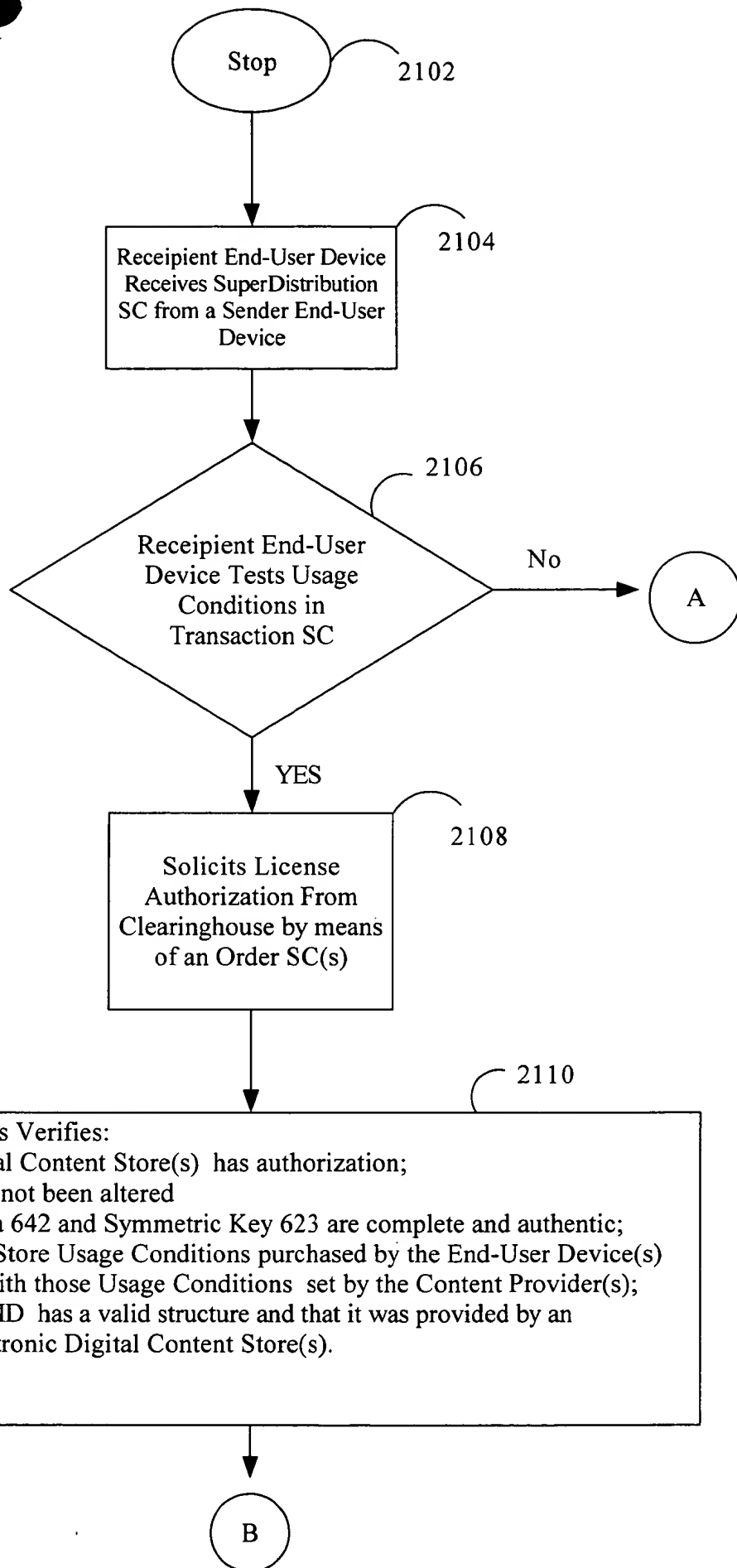


FIG. 21B

